



# *The Dallesport News*

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## **Group Seeking To Sway Elections Stirs Controversy**

By Lou Marzeles Goldendale Sentinel

A coterie of persons around Klickitat County is quietly but passionately driving for political outcomes in the November election, often using controversial approaches.

The group seems invested in supporting candidates Mike Richards, Lori Hocter, Darlene Johnson, and Marc Boardman. Its members shift in and out of visibility; particular names are conspicuous: Raymond Clough, Eddy Cole, Ken Burrill, Jerry Smith, Tom Reynolds. Not all these individuals have been involved in direct politicking that has produced controversy, but some observers in the county note that, off and on, they move in concentric circles. Presently there is no evidence that the candidates themselves have taken part in or approved the actions of these supporters.

In one instance a member of the group directed his communication to The Sentinel. Reynolds sent a letter and documents to the newspaper filled with his findings ostensibly as Precinct Committee Officer in Trout Lake on the vetting of Bob Songer as a candidate for sheriff. Included in it were mentions of a suit filed against Songer in Elko, Nev.; a charge of excessive force against him in Clark County; and an alleged suit against him by a woman some 35 years ago. As well, Reynolds stated that some of the people involved in these cases were reached by phone and questioned.

On the latter case and under a heading reading "Assault charge and award (1976-77)," Reynolds wrote that a woman named Terri Brooks left a comment on an online blog story in the Vancouver Columbian about Songer; according to Reynolds the comment said, "I remember I sued and won because [Songer] attacked me after I yelled at him." Reynolds included the web link to

the Columbian blog. The comment was not there when The Sentinel checked it and remained absent as of press time. Reynolds added that Brooks had been located and talked with twice and confirmed she had been physically assaulted by Songer and won a judgment against him in civil court. But Brooks provided him no documentation on the case, and when asked if he'd undertaken efforts to corroborate the story, Reynolds said he did not. Attempts to find details of the case by The Sentinel turned up nothing. Asked if he considered it appropriate to vet a candidate on a matter that constituted hearsay in the absence of corroboration, Reynolds stood by his remarks.

"The information on [Songer's] legal problems was found on the public domain internet using Google," Reynolds wrote in his letter to The Sentinel. "These are a matter of public record and speak for themselves." Despite his statement, this did not apply to the alleged Brooks matter.

In a direct exhortation to The Sentinel, Reynolds ended his missive by writing, "In America, the press has often been described as an unofficial 'fourth branch of government' that serves as a check on the other three, traditionally providing the information necessary for an informed electorate to assure that our democracy functions. As responsible citizens, we have done our part. It is now your responsibility to assure that this tradition continues." He signed it "On behalf of the Concerned Citizens Committee" without identifying that organization.

Songer says another example of the group's approach is a letter to the editor by Eddy Cole that ran in The Sentinel and The White Salmon Enterprise last week. In it Cole states he'd been a long-

time supporter of Songer until he learned of a legal case against him when he was police chief in Elko, Nev. In that case, Songer was sued for wrongful termination of employees. A judgment was obtained against him in the amount of \$88,000. The information has been proffered as proof of Songer's disqualifications.

"In regard to the Elko situation," Songer says, "I'd like to first state that Eddy Cole has never, ever been a supporter of mine. He's my opponent's supporter, and I think what he's trying to do here is say that he used to be a supporter of me and now he wants people to think he's changing his view on who should be sheriff."

Songer acknowledges the law suit. "It did occur," he states. "When I was police chief in Elko, a complaint had come to me by one of the employees, a dispatcher, and I did an investigation. The dispatcher was under my responsibility as police chief. It was an ongoing complaint with four people involved who were supposed to be harassing another dispatcher. I called the four dispatchers in and advised them that we were investigating the situation. I gave them a direct order not to discuss the case with other witnesses involved in the investigation until it was completed. They stated they understood. That very evening they went out and talked to those witnesses. So I had direct insubordination, which was a serious matter—more serious than the original complaint."

Songer says he discussed the matter with the city manager, the city attorney, and the mayor. "It was agreed that termination was appropriate," he says. "I terminated the four employees.

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## Book Review

by Judy Bane

by [Kelly Harms](#)

The Home Sweet Home Network has just announced this year's lucky winner of a brand-new, fully loaded dream home: Janine Brown of Cedar Falls, Iowa.

For Janine "Janey" Brown, this smacks of one of her beloved Aunt Midge's harebrained schemes to bring her out into the real world again, instead of hiding in her tiny apartment, cooking huge, complicated meals so that she doesn't have to face her own personal tragedy. Her reluctance to accept the house is not as strong as Aunt Midge's iron will, so she reluctantly packs up both of them and prepares to move into her new dream home.

Meanwhile, across town, Janine "Nean" Brown is convinced that this house is her destiny. It's an easy decision for her to leave her less than ideal life, with crappy jobs and drunken boyfriends. She spends close to her last dime to travel to her new dream home, convinced that this move will turn her into someone the world sees instead of the bedraggled girl who others look past without a thought.

Both Janine Browns head for Christmas Cove, Maine, to claim the prize they both rightfully think is theirs. As their three lives intersect (Aunt Midge will not go quietly into any night, anywhere), they make the startling discovery that home is not always a place but the people in it.

This is a huge, engrossing, entertaining story full of believable characters who are far from perfect who struggle daily with their personal challenges.

This was a book I was sorry to see come to an end. By the time I finished, the people I was reading about became family to me and I wish I could meet them all in real life.

I hope you like it as much as I did.

## Columbia Gorge Genealogical Society

October 11, 2014

Monthly meetings are at 1:00 pm at the Columbia Gorge Discovery Center, lower level. No host lunch at Basalt Cafe at noon preceding the meeting. Program:

## Cascade Singers

Cascade Singers community choir begins its fall season preparing for a series of holiday concerts in small venues. The sites will be small but acoustics large when the choir presents Christmas music Dec. 12, 13, and 14. The Singers meet under the direction of Lloyd Walworth Mondays from 7 to 9 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church, 10th and Union Streets, in The Dalles. A one-hour work session takes place Thursdays at 7 p.m.

Rehearsals are open to all interested singers who will then audition with the director. The choir often appears at community events, with formal concerts at Christmas, St. Patrick's Day, and late spring.

## Book Signing

The Wasco County Historical Society will host the author Jane Kirkpatrick for a talk and book signing of her new book, "A Light in the Wilderness" at the Riverenza on Friday, October 10, 2014 from 3 p.m -6 p.m.

401 E. 10th Street in The Dalles. For more information call 541-980-7453

## Klindt's Community Book Club

Sunday, October 5th at 6:30 pm  
Caught in the Crosshairs by Rick Steber. Anyone is welcome! We have the book available at the store for a discount. Please let us know if you are attending so we have plenty of snacks!  
Klindt's Booksellers 315 E. 2nd St.

## Northwest Author Festival

October 18 - 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM

<http://www.klindtsbooks.com>

On Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup> at 2PM, Klindt's Booksellers will kick-off the holiday season by bringing books, beer and brats together during the Northwest Author's Festival.

We will have Clock Tower Ales and Dog-Gone It Food Truck serving up some delicious treats, while also hosting ten amazing authors in the bookstore. Spanning multiple genres, each author brings something different to the table, including children's and young adult to cooking and murder mysteries.

You will be able to visit with each author, ask questions about their writing process, and have your books personally signed. The author line-up includes:

Peg Willis. "Building the Columbia River Highway." (History)  
Rick Steber. "All Around & the 13<sup>th</sup> Juror." (True Crime)  
Melissa Eskue Ousley. "The Rabbit and the Raven." (YA/Fantasy)  
Kirsten Shockey. "Fermented Vegetables." (Cooking)  
Miralee Ferrell. "Dreaming on Daisies." (Romance)  
John Rekart, Jr. "Rollin' On the River." (History)  
Michelle Walch and John Maddin. "Letters of the West." (Children's)  
Robin Herrera. "Hope is a Ferris Wheel." (Middle Grade)  
Ron Lovell. "Murder Times Two." (Mystery/Thriller)  
Sharon Duerst. "Catching Rain." (Fiction)

**Klindt's Bookstore** 541-296-3355

315 E. 2nd Street, The Dalles  
Hours: Mon. - Sat. 8:00 am - 6:00 pm  
Sundays 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

**The Dalles/Wasco County Public Library** 541-296-2815

722 Court Street, The Dalles

### HOURS:

Monday-Thursday 10 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Saturday: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Closed Sunday

*\*FREE wireless Internet access* inside the library and on library grounds.

**White Salmon Valley Community Library** 509-493-1132 - Town & Country Sq. White Salmon

Open Tuesdays 10:00 am - 8:00 pm

Wed.-Sat. 10:00 am - 6:00 pm

*\*FREE wireless Internet access*

[Goldendale Community Library](#)

(509) 773-4487

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### **Bookmobile**

Fort Vancouver Regional Library

1-888-546-2707

**Murdock** Daycare-9:45 - 10:00 am

**Tuesdays Oct. 7<sup>th</sup>. & 21<sup>st</sup>.**

**Dallesport School-** 11:15 - 3:00 pm

**Wednesdays Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>. & 22<sup>nd</sup>.**

**Happy Halloween!**



## Community Council Corner

By Renee Briggs

Council Elections come up on Nov. 11<sup>th</sup>. There will be two open positions. If you or someone you know would be interested in volunteering one evening a month as a Council member we would like to hear from you. We urge you to serve your community by becoming a Council member. Please attend the next Council meeting or contact a Council member. Phone numbers are on the back of this newsletter. To be considered as a Community Council member you must be a citizen resident, real estate leaseholder and or/property owner of the Dallesport-Murdock Community, age 18 or older, and have lived in the community for at least 6 months. You must also be a registered voter.

Please join us for the next Council meeting on **Oct. 9<sup>th</sup>** at the Dallesport Community Center. At 7pm.

Remember to visit us online:  
<http://www.dallesport-wa.org/>

## Dallesport Water Dist.

If you have any questions regarding your water system, please feel free to contact us: Dave Griffin, DWD Manager 541-980-6756,

or [dwdmanager@qnect.net](mailto:dwdmanager@qnect.net)

Lyn Stevens DWD Clerk 541-980-6514, or [dallesportwater@gmail.com](mailto:dallesportwater@gmail.com)

**Monthly meetings are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of every month at 7:30pm at the Dallesport Community Center.**

## Building Fundraiser Breakfast

**Saturday Oct. 18<sup>th</sup>. 7am**  
**Support our Fire District**  
**Dallesport Fire Hall**

## Election Kicks Off

Washington General Election is getting underway. The 18-day voting period kicks off Oct. 17. Ballots may be returned by mail, in person, or by using a county-supplied dropbox. Postmark deadline is Election Day, Nov. 4; dropboxes may be used until 8 p.m. Election Day. Results will be available online. Deadline for online and mail-in voter registration is Oct. 6.

The Dallesport dropbox is located at 136 6<sup>th</sup>. Street next to the community center and across the street from the Post Office.

## Candidates Night Thursday October 2 @ 6:30pm

**Dallesport Community  
Center 136 6<sup>th</sup> Street in  
Dallesport**

**The following Candidates  
will be there:**

**Prosecuting Attorney:**

**Lori Hoctor**

**Dave Quesnel**

**County Assessor:**

**Darlene R Johnson**

**Crista Schroder**

**PUD Commissioner #3**

**Dan Gunkel**

**Sherry Carver**

## New Airport Restaurant

The restaurant at the Columbia Gorge Regional Airport will soon be reopening under a new name and management. Dallesport resident Laura Davidson will open the Red Racer Cafe tentatively on October 13<sup>th</sup>. Laura has spent the past few weeks having the cafe redecorated, cleaned and painted.

New appliances and chairs and have also been brought in. She has chosen to go with a World War II theme that will fit nicely with our WWII airport. Come checkout the new décor while you enjoy your breakfast or lunch.

With home-style cooking, the menu will include standard breakfast items along with quiche and breakfast burritos. Lunch items will be sandwiches, wraps, burgers, soup, & salad. Beer and wine will also be available. The cafe will be open 7 days a week 8am-3pm.

Visa, Mastercard, and Discovery cards will be accepted. Take out orders can be called in or ordered in person.. Be sure to "Like" the Red Racer Cafe on Facebook.

**Now Hiring: Cooks and waitresses wanted. Please apply at the Red Racer Cafe at the Airport.**

## Pot Shop

Stonehenge Cannabis in Murdock has become Klickitat County's second recreational marijuana retailer as of Sept. 6.

Stonehenge Cannabis owners Elizabeth 'Liz' Hallock and Steve White are a husband and wife team who have been on a mission to open their groovy, 1960s-themed pot shop for the past year after having two previous locations denied by the Washington State Liquor Control Board.

The first location near downtown White Salmon was too close to Little Oak Montessori School and the second, in the building that previously housed the Logs Inn in BZ Corner, was too close to the BZ Corner Launch Site.

Finally, Hallock, an attorney, and White, a former program administrator at Portland State University, settled on a vacant building at 8142 State Route 14 in Murdock.

"It'll be kind of a psychedelic '60s theme except a little classier. We have to work with what we have because there weren't a lot of choices," Hallock said.

To combat the potential for rising prices and product shortages, Hallock said Stonehenge Cannabis will be part of a consortium of retailers that will make long-term contracts with growers and producers.

"It's more of a cartel, basically. Everything is for the betterment of the consumer so there is no price fixing," she said.

Stonehenge Cannabis will also sell paraphernalia. Bongs, pipes, and more made by AlderEgo will also be available for purchase.

Whether the new shop will have edibles on its shelves anytime soon is uncertain. Previously, the Klickitat County Board of Commissioners passed a resolution to ban marijuana-infused products, like cookies or brownies, from being sold in the county, but County Commissioner David Sauter said since the passage of the resolution little progress has been made in regards to an actual ordinance banning marijuana edibles simply because it would be too difficult to enforce.

"We weren't looking to have an ordinance with any criminal component. The point was to focus attention on our view that the decision makers haven't done a good enough job protecting kids from these edibles, so we can't seem to find a way with an ordinance that doesn't have too much teeth," Sauter said.

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They filed a law suit for wrongful termination, violation of First Amendment rights, and sexual discrimination. At the time all the dispatchers were female except for one; there was no sexual discrimination. The management pool of a city, when a case is filed, meets to consider whether or not it's worth spending the money to fight it or settle. The city of Elko brought in a labor attorney out of Reno; he reviewed the case for the city and said, 'No, don't settle, let's go to court.' The city felt it had a strong case. Three of the dispatchers settled out of court. Fast forward, it goes to court, a jury trial. The jury finds for the dispatcher against us. She got a settlement, they got a judgment against me for \$88,000. The court found that I acted in the scope of my duties, so I was not liable for the \$88,000; it was paid by the city's insurance."

Asked if he looked into this case beyond the public domain court decision, Reynolds responded, "The court filings of the decision and awards were sufficient for me. The fact that a charge was filed by a federal prosecutor in a federal court, and the case

The excessive force charge against Songer in [Clark County](#) arose from a well-documented incident in which Songer and another [Clark County](#) Sheriff's deputy were attempting to dislodge concealed balloons of cocaine from a suspect's mouth under a search warrant issued that included body-cavity search.

Another anti-Songer letter was brought to The Sentinel last week by hand. It was written by Jerry Smith, who worried about Songer's campaign statement that he would not have an undersheriff if he were elected. It was brought in to The Sentinel office and handed to the editor by Darlene Johnson, the County Assessor.

Undersheriff Marc Boardman says he was not aware of Reynolds' letter. "But I definitely feel that if a matter doesn't have any corroboration, it shouldn't be raised as an issue," he said Tuesday. "I want this campaign to be about my qualifications, not about what's wrong with the other guy."

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## Washington Healthplanfinder To Provide Residents With More Health Plan Options This Autumn

*Goldendale Sentinel*

The Washington Health Benefit Exchange Board has provided final certification of Qualified Health Plans to be offered through Washington Healthplanfinder during the second open enrollment period. The open enrollment period, which runs from Nov. 15, 2014 to Feb. 15, 2015, provides coverage starting Jan. 1, 2015.

Following initial approval by the Office of the Insurance Commissioner (OIC), the Board certified 10 health insurance carriers at the monthly Board meeting to offer 82 Qualified Health Plans (QHPs) for individuals and families. Additionally, five insurance carriers will offer six pediatric Qualified Dental Plans (QDPs). Last year, eight health insurers were approved to sell 46 plans through Washington Healthplanfinder.

Every county in Washington State will see an increased number of health plans options during the next open enrollment period. Approved insurance companies that are new to the [Market](#) include Columbia United Providers and Moda Health, Inc. (Moda). Platinum plans, which typically offer the highest monthly premiums but the lowest out-of-pocket costs for consumers, will be now be offered for the first time through BridgeSpan in 12 counties. Several other health plans are under review by the OIC.

"We're thrilled to see the number of available health plan options has doubled in one short year," said Richard Onizuka, Chief Executive Officer for Washington Healthplanfinder.

Washington Healthplanfinder Business allows small business with up to 50 employees to compare plans, decide their contribution level and manage payment in one place. Eligible small business owners may also access tax credits when they enroll through Washington Healthplanfinder Business.

"Not only will these additional coverage options increase consumer choice, they will also foster competition among our participating health insurance companies."

## Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?

Cast Theater at Columbia Center for the Arts opens its 2014/2015 season of plays on October 9<sup>th</sup> with Edward Albee's classic "Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?" directed by Deborah Langlois. This play is a wonderful ensemble piece with four great characters on the American stage. The play runs October 9, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18 at 7:30 p.m. with a matinee on Oct. 12 at 2:00 p.m. Tickets are \$18 for adults, \$15 for students and seniors and \$12 for groups of 10 or more. Tickets are available at Columbia Arts, Waucoma Bookstore and online at [www.columbiaarts.org](http://www.columbiaarts.org). Columbia Center for the Arts is located at 215 Cascade Ave. in downtown Hood River. This play contains mature subject matter and is not appropriate for children under 11.

## Little Shop of Horrors

October 17, 2014 - November 1, 2014

<http://www.thetheatrecompany.org/index.htm>

Get into the spirit of the season with a great musical comedy called Little Shop of Horrors. Seymour Krelborn is a nerdy orphan working at Mushnik's, a flower shop in urban Skid Row. He harbors a crush on fellow co-worker Audrey Fulquard, and is berated by Mr. Mushnik daily. One day as Seymour is seeking a new mysterious plant, he finds a very mysterious unidentified plant which he calls Audrey II. The plant seems to have a craving for blood and quickly begins to sing for his supper. Soon enough, Seymour feeds Audrey's sadistic dentist boyfriend to the plant and, later, Mushnik for witnessing the death of Audrey's ex. Will Audrey II take over the world or will Seymour and Audrey defeat it?

The Dalles Civic Auditorium on 323 East Fourth Street.

October 17, 18, 24, and 31 at 7:30 p.m.  
October 25 at 2 p.m. Doors open half an hour before each performance starts.  
Contact Information: P.O. Box 577, The Dalles, Oregon 97058, Telephone: 541-370-2513 \$12 Per adult, \$10 per senior (over 61), \$10 per student, and \$8 per child (under 13). Tickets are available at the door.

# LYLE SCHOOL DISTRICT #406

For the latest information on Lyle School District, visit the website for the school district.  
<http://www.lyleschools.org/wordpress/>

## **Volunteer Opportunities!**

The Lyle School District values our Volunteers! We have several ways and places that you can volunteer at our district. We are launching a web-based sign up process that will allow you to see the available opportunities to volunteer at events at our schools. The following are the current needs for the Fall Sports Season and other events. The sign up process is simple and only takes a few minutes. Simply follow the link to the event you are interested in volunteering for and follow the instructions to SIGN UP!

[Middle School Volleyball Admissions Gate](#)  
[High School Volleyball Admissions Gate](#)  
[Football Admissions Gate](#)  
[Concessions](#)

If you would like to volunteer in the classroom or any specific areas, please contact Julie Larson at [julie.larson@lyleschools.org](mailto:julie.larson@lyleschools.org) or call 509-365-2211

## **Employment**

The Lyle School District currently has the following positions open:

Full Time Kindergarten Para-Professional. The successful candidate will assist in the Kindergarten classroom and possess a Para-Professional Certificate. Please complete the application [here](#) and return it to the Lyle School District Offices located at 625 Keasey Avenue in Lyle, WA. 509-365-2191

Substitute Bus Drivers. Class B CDL required and training is available. Application available at the Lyle School District Offices located at 625 Keasey Avenue, Lyle, WA. 509-365-2191

**All positions require a fingerprint background check.**

HOW TO APPLY:

Thank you for your interest in employment with Lyle School District. Application can be completed, saved (with a new name- if you are using a Mac, please be sure to fill out the form in Adobe and not in the preview pane) and attached to an email to [Phil Williams](mailto:Phil Williams) or completed, printed and either mailed or dropped off to:

Lyle School District  
625 Keasey Street  
PO Box 368  
Lyle, WA 98635

Applications are also available at the Lyle School District Offices located at: 625 Keasey St, Lyle, WA

*Next school board meeting will be held on October 23, 2014  
Support your school and attend a meeting.*



## Baby Back Rib Dinner

October 3, 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

<http://www.midcolumbiaseniorcenter@gmail.com>

Annual Fundraiser for Meals-on-Wheels and the Mid-Columbia Senior Center \$15.00 Mid-Columbia Senior Center 1112 W 9th Street The Dalles.

## Car is King Weekend at Maryhill Museum of Art

October 4, 2014

*Celebrate Sam Hill's love of roads and the automobile in a weekend full of events.*

### Drive the Maryhill Loops Road

Noon to 2 p.m., Saturday, October 4  
The Historic Maryhill Loops Road, one of the first modern roads in the Northwest, is opened for automobiles only twice a year. This is your chance to take a spin past the beautiful scenery and through the road's eight hairpin curves. Free on museum grounds.

**Concours de Maryhill, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, October 4**  
Dozens of classic, sport and customized cars on view, competing for prizes such as best original, classic, hot rod and muscle car. This is an open car show and anyone with a special car may enter. The day concludes an awards presentation. *Organized by the Goldendale Motorsports Association.* Free on museum grounds.

**Family Fun: Veggie Car Races, 1 to 3 p.m., Saturday, October 4**  
Join in the fun at the annual *Classic Veggie Car Races* just for kids. Children can put their ingenuity to work transforming humble veggies into fantastically engineered cars and race them on a 12 foot ramp for thrills and chills. Kids of all ages are invited to participate in this free and fun outdoor activity. Races start at 1 p.m. Free on the museum grounds. In addition *youth 18 and under are admitted to the museum free all day with one paid adult admission.*

## Hidden Spaces II Tour Historic Downtown

Sunday, October 5, 1 to 5 p.m.

What is up there on the second floor or in the basements of those old buildings? Many of us have walked by for years and wondered, while others have memories of being in those places many years ago and wonder what it's

like today. On October 5th, the annual P.E.O. Fall Tour will give you a second opportunity to take a step back in time and tour the hidden spaces of several downtown buildings. You will think you are in a time warp...finding some just as they were when last occupied as apartments, offices, or meeting halls. Our treasures include a few buildings returning for a second year: the Oaks Hotel, the Honald Building, the I.O.O.F. Hall, and the Ice House. New this year will be the old jail under the courthouse, the "catacombs" under the theater in the Civic Auditorium, the Christian Science Church, the old Gates Hotel over Bohn's Printing, and the Vogt Opera House on the second floor of the Morin Printing building.

Your PASSPORT to these buildings (which serves as your ticket and map) costs \$10 and is available from P.E.O. Chapter EJ members, at Klindt's Book Sellers, and at any of the buildings on tour day.

PLEASE NOTE: accessing these historic spaces requires climbing steep stairs.

## 12th Annual Shaniko Ragtime and Vintage Music Festival

October 10, 2014 - October 12, 2014

Sponsored by City of Shaniko, Shaniko Chamber of Commerce, and The Shaniko Preservation Guild Friday, Oct. 10th: Shaniko Schoolhouse, 12:00-6pm Saturday, Oct. 11: Conference Room Best Western Motel, Madras: noon-11pm Sunday, Oct. 12: 2pm Shaniko Schoolhouse Concert by all artists; suggested donation \$10.00

## Harvest Festival at The Dalles Farmer's Market

October 11 - 9am-1pm

Complete the Farmer's Market Season by enjoying yourself at The Dalles Farmer's Market Harvest Festival! The Dalles City Park at 5<sup>th</sup> & Union.

## Harvest Bazaar at Flagstone

October 11, 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Hand-crafted items for yourself or for a gift (the holidays are coming, you know!) treats and fun! Vendors: call or email Danette: 541-298-5656  
[dutley@flagstoneassistedliving.com](mailto:dutley@flagstoneassistedliving.com)  
Flagstone Senior Living 3325  
Columbia View Drive The Dalles, OR

## Harvest Fest at Renken Farms

October 18, - 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

<http://www.renkenfarms.com>

Renken Farms and Mid Columbia Medical Center Ten-Year Anniversary! Petting Zoo (Please leave your pets at home.); wagon rides; fresh apple cider; live music; scarecrow making; children's story time; food and more! Proceeds benefit Great 'n small Child Development Center.

<http://www.renkenfarms.com/pumpkin-patch.html>

Renken Farms 3050 Three Mile Road The Dalles, OR

## 18th Annual Gorge Fruit and Craft Fair

October 18, 2014 - October 19, 2014

<http://www.hoodriverfair.org>

Part of Harvest Fest in Hood River Hood River County Fairgrounds Odell.

## White Salmon Fall Art Tour

October 24, 2014 - October 26, 2014

The Fall Art Tour will include open studios and a Cooperative Gallery sponsored by White Salmon Arts Council 11am-5pm daily.

## 20<sup>th</sup>. Annual Mill Creek School House Craft Sale

October 31, 2014 - November 2, 2014

20th Annual Mill Creek School House Craft Sale 5810 Mill Creek Road; Sandoz Angus Ranch 5 miles out Mill Creek Road, off W. 10th and Mt. Hood Streets, The Dalles. Fridays and Saturdays: 9am-4pm Sundays: 10am-3pm

## Downtown Trick or Treat

October 31<sup>st</sup>. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

<http://www.thedallesc Chamber.com>

Merchants in the downtown The Dalles area provide safe and fun Trick or Treat for children.

The Parks and Recreation Department will be organizing a

"Monsters in the Park after Dark" event at City Park with activities such as a costume contest, donut eating race, skeleton relay, arts/crafts, light refreshments and more!

Trick or Treating will go from 3pm-5pm and the event at the City Park will go from 5pm-7pm.

## Dallesport-Murdock Community Calendar

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**DALLESFORT-MURDOCK COMMUNITY COUNCIL**  
**P.O. BOX 8**  
**DALLESFORT, WA 98617**  
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**BURN BAN is in effect until further notice.**

### Cruise Ship Visits

**October 01, 2014 Wednesday**

12:00 PM - 6:00 PM Queen of the West

**October 02, 2014 Thursday**

7:00 AM - 12:00 AM Sea Lion

Arrives 10/2 at 7am; departs 10/3 at 6am.

**October 06, 2014 Monday**

1:00 PM - 12:00 AM Queen of the West

Arrives 10/6 at 1pm; departs 10/7 at 8am.

**October 07, 2014 Tuesday**

8:00 PM - 12:00 AM Sea Lion

Arrives 8pm; departs 10/8 at 2pm.

**October 09, 2014 Thursday**

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM Safari Legacy

**October 13, 2014 Monday**

7:00 AM - 12:00 AM Sea Bird

Arrives 7am; departs 10/14 at 6am.

**October 14, 2014 Tuesday**

7:00 AM - 12:00 AM Sea Lion

Arrive 7am; depart 10/15 at 6am.

**October 15, 2014 Wednesday**

12:00 PM - 6:00 PM Queen of the West

Arrives noon; departs 6pm.

**October 16, 2014 Thursday**

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM American Empress

**October 18, 2014 Saturday**

8:00 PM - 12:00 AM Sea Bird

Arrives 8pm; departs 10/19 at 2pm.

**October 20, 2014 Monday**

1:00 PM - 12:00 AM Queen of the West

Arrives 1pm; departs 10/21 at 8am.

**October 22, 2014 Wednesday**

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM American Empress

**October 23, 2014 Thursday**

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM Safari Legacy

**October 25, 2014 Saturday**

7:00 AM - 12:00 AM Sea Bird

Arrives 7am; departs 10/26 6am.

**October 29, 2014 Wednesday**

12:00 PM - 6:00 PM Queen of the West

**October 30, 2014 Thursday**

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM American Empress

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**Dallesport-Murdock Community Council**  
**Meetings on the second Thursday, 7pm**  
**At Community Center on 6<sup>th</sup> Street Dallesport**

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